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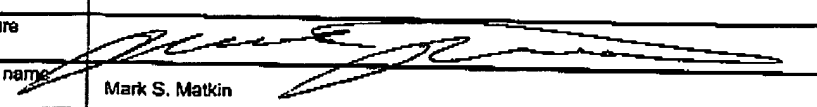
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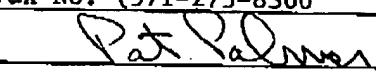
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Title: Method of Depositing a Silicon Dioxide-Comprising Layer in the  
Fabrication of Integrated Circuitry (as Amended)

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